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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of :  
Shinji KINOSHITA et al. : Art Unit - 3692  
Appln. No. 10/674,150 : Examiner -  
: Justin Mitchell Krause  
Filed: September 29, 2003 :  
For: HYDRODYNAMIC BEARING, :  
MOTOR DEVICE, AND :  
METHOD OF PLASTIC :  
DEFORMATION PROCESSING : Docket No. S004-5127

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RESPONSE

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In response to the Office Action mailed August 17,  
2006, applicants amend their application as follows:

ADDITIONAL FEE:

No additional fees are believed required in  
connection with this response. However, should it be  
determined that a fee is due, authorization is hereby given to  
charge any such fee to our Deposit Account No. 01-0268.

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